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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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SURVEY & REMONUMENTATION GRANT PROGRAM

INFORMATION MEMORANDUM NO. 2

DATE: February 25, 1993

TO: County Representatives

FROM: Gaylord H. Yund, Acting Executive Director
State Survey and Remonumentation Commission

SUBJECT: Newly Adopted MDOT "**Special Provision for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Public Land Survey Corners and Property Controlling Corners**"

Last June, the Survey and Remonumentation Commission approached the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) expressing their concern for the preservation and perpetuation of Public Land Survey and Property Controlling Corners which may be effected by a highway project. MDOT expressed equal concern on this matter and proceeded to develop and adopt the attached "Special Provision for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Public Land Survey Corners and Property Controlling Corners." This is a standard clause they now include in all highway construction contracts.

In follow-up discussions with Mr. Bob Welke, MDOT Deputy Director for Highways, he suggested to me that the best way for County Representatives to obtain the most recent MDOT highway construction project information in their county is to contact the local MDOT district engineer covering their area. This will enable county representatives to coordinate their remonumentation effort with MDOT highway projects.

Mr. Welke and I also discussed and agreed that the most expeditious and appropriate way for coordination of county road projects with county remonumentation is for the county representative to contact the County Road Commission and develop their own local coordination.

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The State Survey and Remonumentation Commission encourages County Road Commissions to include in their construction contracts a special surveying provision similar to the attached being used by MDOT.

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Attachments

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Ray Davis, Lapeer County